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# PATENT APPLICATION

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**Docket:** 5523-67250

*Applicant:* Cummins et al.

***Invention:* LOW DOSE INTERFERON-  
GAMMA COMPOSITIONS AND  
THEIR USE FOR TREATMENT OF  
INTERFERON-SENSITIVE  
DISEASES**

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Sir:

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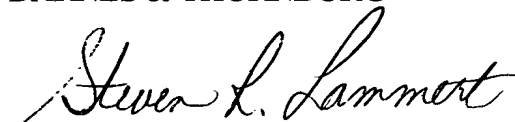
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Respectfully submitted,

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